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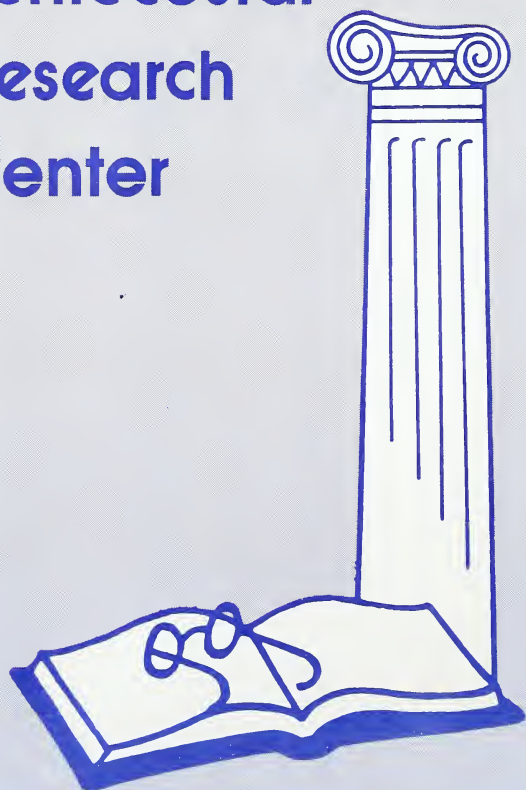
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Cleveland, Tennessee

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SCHOOL TERM

of

1935-1936

SCHOOL CALENDAR FOR 1936-1937

Registration Day	October 12
First Semester begins	October 13
Thanksgiving Service	November 26
Christmas Vacation begins	December 19
Christmas Vacation closes	December 27
Mid Term Examinations start	December 30
Second Semester starts	January 4
Final Examinations start	March 15
Camp Meeting begins	March 18
Baccalaureate Sermon	March 21
Camp Meeting closes	March 25
Commencement Exercises	March 26

(Subject to Change)

❖ Faculty ❖



ZENO C. THARP, Supt.

Bible: II, III; Prophecy; Homiletics; Doctrine;
Parliamentary Law; Personal Evangelism

R. R. WALKER, A. B.

Principal of B. T. S. High School Department
High School Subjects
Bible Atlas, Church History,
Hurlbut's Teacher-Training Course,
College Subjects.



OTIS L. McCOY

Principal of Music Department
Sight-Singing, Harmony, Voice,
Instrumental, etc.



❁ Faculty ❁



WILLIE W. GOINS
Assistant in Music Normal Department



MISS VINA SILER, A. B.
High School and College Subjects



MISS MILDRED BLACKWELL
High School Subjects, Missions,
Elocution, Christian Evidence

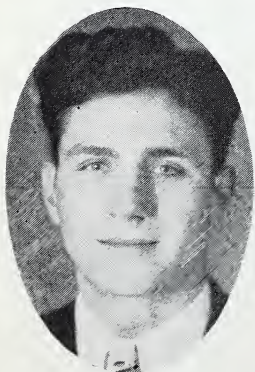
❁ Faculty ❁



MISS LOUISE MARTIN
Piano



MRS. HERSHELL A. GREEN
Commercial Department
Bookkeeping (20th Century), Shorthand (Gregg),
Typewriting, Commercial Arithmetic,
Business English



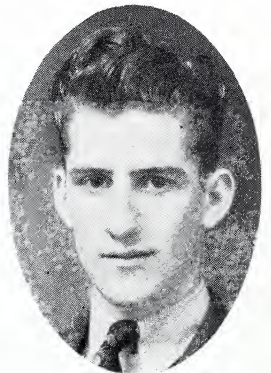
CLIFFORD JENKERSON
Manager Bible Correspondence Course

❁ Faculty ❁



MRS. ARCHIE SWIGER
High School, Christian Evidence, Elocution

HARRY HATCHER
Guitar



L. T. WATERS
Manager of Kitchen and Dining Room

GRADUATES OF 1936



GEORGE POTEAT

President, Senior Class, Ministerial Student

"He who plays the game straight and hard, wins"

JUANITA DIXON

Secretary, Senior Class, General Bible Course

*"Ye that pipe and sing and play
Feel the gladness of each day"*

LOWELL McCOY

Treasurer, Senior Class, General Bible Course

"Many are good, but only a few excel"

WILLIE WELCH

General Bible Course

"Pleasing to live; living to please"

WOODROW BYRD

Vice-President, Senior Class, Ministerial Student

"He will leave B. T. S. bettered by his having been here"

GRADUATES OF 1936



WALTER JOHNSON

General Bible Course

"Life is short and so am I"

PAULINE DAVENPORT

Commercial Course

"Thy modesty is a candle to thy merit"

ELLEN BROWN

General Bible Course

"Give her the task; she'll finish it"

HILTON VAIL

Ministerial Student

"A good name is rather to be chosen than great riches"

GRADUATES OF 1936



W. W. MORGAN

General Bible Course

"If greatness be gained by work, he's bound to attain"

TINA ROBERTS

General Bible Course

"It's nice to be nice when you're naturally nice"

VERLE SEARS

Ministerial Student

"What goals he sets for himself, he will reach"

CHESTER LINGERFELT

General Bible Course

"Often seen—only occasionally heard"

VANCE PERKINS

Ministerial Student

"He's a good man to have around"

GRADUATES OF 1936



RAYMOND MORSE

High School Course

"Every man has his fault, and manliness is his"

ERMA REID

General Bible Course

"Rhythm in her fingers; charm in her smile"

RALPH WILLIAMS

High School Course

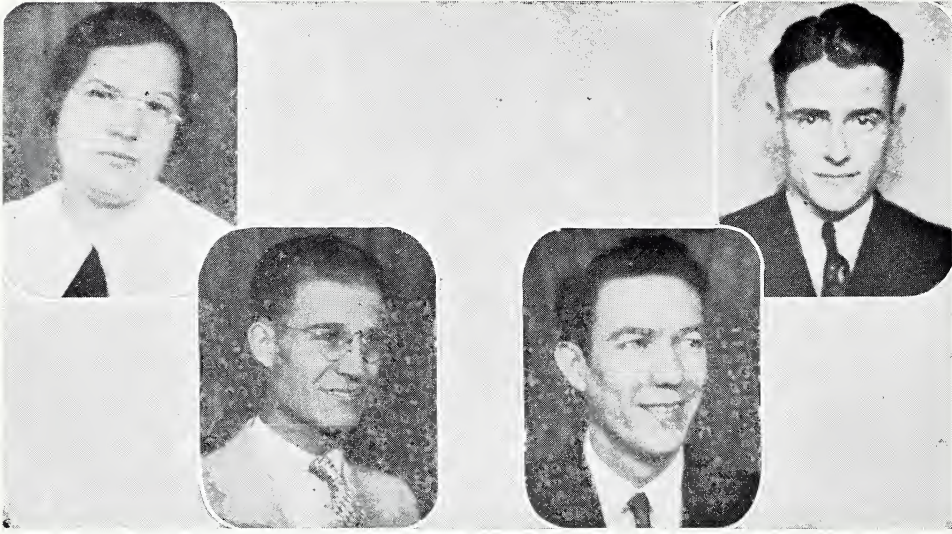
"His ability properly directed will lead him far"

DOROTHY DUNN

General Bible Course

"It's the little things in life that count"

GRADUATES OF 1936



ADDIE MAE PERKINS

General Bible Course

"Constant as the stars that shine"

PAUL STALLINGS

Commercial Course

"The rare thing is to find a nature really natural"

HOYLE CASE

General Bible Course

"Never too busy to lend a hand"

ALBERT CHILDERS

Ministerial Student

"Sincerity cannot be feigned"

Explanation

A BIBLE TRAINING SCHOOL may be defined as a place where one may learn to think, speak, live and work according to the WORD of God, thus training oneself to become a more successful Christian worker.

Students entering Bible School should aim under all circumstances to let their desires, joys, and rejoicings be in the WORD. They should maintain a teachable attitude toward their instructors and at all times cheerfully comply with the rules and regulations of the school.

Opportunity comes to all at least once. We humbly trust you will see that **THIS IS YOUR OPPORTUNITY**. Come! Prepare yourself for more efficient work in God's great vineyard.

General Information

THE BEGINNING

*B*BIBLE TRAINING SCHOOL was born of much prayer. It sprang out of great necessity. The brethren felt deeply impressed that such a work be delayed no longer. It was at the Thirteenth Annual Assembly of the Church of God that the decision was reached, committee appointed and arrangements made for definite action.

On January 1, 1918, the first term of school was begun in Cleveland, Tenn., with only six students. But we should not despise the day of small things. For the giant oak was once a small plant—but it grew. The number of students in attendance of the sixteenth term was twenty-two and one half times that of the first. So it is growing.

From the beginning until now the school has made remarkable progress, being the means of training hundreds, who have rendered faithful service, in bringing many to Christ and His Church.

The management is working for and watching very enthusiastically the development in progress. While in some ways we think possibly more could have been done, yet under the circumstances, we feel that all have suffered together. But now a brighter day dawns, for as the old debts disappear, encouragement increases, and we have reason to believe that within the near future a building program will have begun, which will never be forgotten in the history of the B. T. S. Will you please pray that God will undertake in a special way?

SPIRITUALITY

The spiritual atmosphere is of first importance. Above everything else we pledge our patrons that we will earnestly endeavor to keep the school ablaze for God, the Bible, holiness, and His Church. Much time and attention are given to the spirituality of the students and they are kept under the supervision of the Superintendent. Care at all times is taken to safeguard the character of all who attend the school. There are seven prayers offered daily in the schoolroom, besides private prayers at leisure. The students have the privilege and are invited to take active part in the regular services held in the local church, enjoying the Christian fellowship of the good people of Cleveland.

LOCATION

The school is located at Cleveland on 24th Street and Montgomery Avenue, about ten blocks from the heart of the pretty little city of about 12,000 inhabitants, situated in the picturesque rolling hill section of East Tennessee. It is on the main line of the Southern Railway from New York to New Orleans and Memphis. You may reach it by any of its four highways of which the Lee Highway is the most noted. Our progressive little city is in the broad valley that lies between the Cumberland and the Great Smoky Mountains. It has an altitude of 875 feet above sea level and enjoys the advantages of pure air and water. The climate is mild, and every physical condition is favorable to student life.

In point of morals our pleasant little town is to be commended. It is well governed. Among the city officials, leading business men, bankers, and educators you will find special friends, boosters, and supporters of the B. T. S.

AIM AND PURPOSE

The aim and purpose of the Bible Training School is to meet the need of such as desire to gain a greater knowledge of the Scripture and a more thorough training in literary education, within the shortest possible time, enabling them to be prepared for more efficient service.

The school seeks first to secure for each student the best possible Christian experience of Regeneration, Sanctification, the Baptism of the Holy Ghost, and a submissive, teachable spirit, together with other good blessings which are characteristic of a Spirit-filled life.

FOR WHOM INTENDED?

The object of the school is to prepare workers to think straight, live straight, and to meet the need of such as desire a working knowledge of the Scriptures for all kinds of Christian labors; yet, we wish to name more specifically those for whom we think the courses are especially adapted.

- (a) Ministers desirous of additional training.
- (b) Prospective ministers.
- (c) Pastors' assistants.
- (d) Officials of local churches.
- (e) Sunday School superintendents, teachers, and workers.
- (f) Directors of Young People's Endeavors.
- (g) Those desiring a better knowledge of the WORD which strengthens against the evils of these last days.

Churches, Y. P. E's, and all other Christian organizations, you need TRAINED workers. Why not take some already talented or specially inclined earnest worker into your care and give him or her special training in B. T. S.? You will be pleased with the results and the Lord will bless you in the advancement of His great work.

REQUIREMENTS OF ADMISSION

1. No special age limit has been fixed, but children can't appreciate nor do this work. We regret that we are unable at this time to offer as complete courses in Elementary and Grammar School studies as we are in the High School studies. But since we are not, we think that those under thirteen years of age desiring to enter should have their parents take up this

matter with the management so that thorough investigations be made.

2. No examinations for entrance are required. The further advanced you are in your studies the more readily you will be able to grasp many of the subjects taught here. However, splendid work has been done by some who were deprived of the privilege of much schooling. Possibly the secret of this lies in the fact that they saw the great need of this training and most earnestly and prayerfully applied themselves wholly to their work and have made good. Therefore, we invite all to come. Special attention will be given those who need it. A High School or Academy course is most desirable, yet you will find your teachers ever patient and ready to help you with your studies regardless of your former schooling.

3. All applicants will be required to cheerfully submit to the rules and regulations of the school.

4. No one void of good moral character need apply. All must have application blanks signed by pastor, or some reliable person, together with at least two names and addresses of persons to whom we may refer.

The work of the ministry and of the Church are the most noble callings of all, and each student should reverence them as such.

FACULTY PERSONNEL

Prof. Otis L. McCoy, Music Editor of the Church of God, has again been secured as instructor of Music in B. T. S. for another term. Brother McCoy, who is a talented musician, has spared neither time nor means to better qualify himself for this great work. For some six or seven years he was connected with the James D. Vaughan Musical Conservatory of Lawrenceburg, Tenn., as student and instructor, and was a member of the Radio and Recording Quartet which traveled continually throughout the United States, except during school term, when they rendered valuable service at the Conservatory.

We thank the Lord for the privilege of obtaining such a worthy, qualified man for this position.

These five terms Brother McCoy, with his competent instructions and his "determined-to-win" efforts, met with glowing success in the Musical Department. He was greatly appreciated by all the students for his Vocal and Instrumental instructions. You will find him willing and always ready to assist in your study of music. There were so many desiring private lessons until he was unable to take care of all, for lack of time. Even before the first term closed we were forced to secure an assistant for him in his work. Meet Brother McCoy at B. T. S. this fall.

We are certainly glad to announce that Brother Willie W. Goins, son of the Rev. J. L. Goins, overseer of Illinois, will be a member of the faculty of B. T. S. this fall in the Music Normal

Brother Willie W. Goins is a graduate of the Church of God Bible Training School 1929, a student in Centenary College, Cleveland, Tenn., one year in Trevecca College, Nashville, Tenn. (Carried highest honors in voice contest of male voices in Trevecca.) Studied Music and Education, two years at Hans Schroder School of Music, Knoxville. Soloist Tuesday Morning Club, member of American Legion and Armo Grotto bands in Knoxville. Private student of Fenton Puzgh, College of Music, Cincinnati, Ohio.

He also attended Stamps-Baxter Musical Normal one term in Chatta-

nooga, Tenn., and has had some five years' experience teaching. We wish for him success in B. T. S.

Miss Mildred Blackwell formerly of Missouri will assist us with the High School Studies this term. Miss Blackwell is the daughter of T. F. Blackwell, one of our bishops, and a good Christian young lady. She has had the Baptism of the Holy Ghost and has been a member of the Church since her early girlhood. She is highly esteemed by those who know her for her splendid, Christian character and faithfulness in the Church.

Miss Blackwell was graduated from High School at St. Joseph, Mo., in 1930. She completed one year's work in the St. Joseph's Junior College, St. Joseph, Mo., in 1931. She was graduated the following year (1932) from the Junior College of Flat River, Mo., where she ranked third highest in her class.

She attended Bible School in the fall of 1932 where her services were much appreciated as a teacher. She was retained as a teacher the following three years, and will be with us again this next term. We assure you that you will highly appreciate the excellent services of such a talented instructress.

Mrs. Hershell A. Green, Cleveland, Tenn., will have charge of our Commercial Department again this term. Mrs. Green is not a member of our movement, but she is a well-wisher and comes to us highly recommended for her noble Christian character and active church work.

Mrs. Green is a graduate of Cleveland High School of this city, graduate of the State Teacher's College, Johnson City, Tenn. She has had one term's work in University of Tennessee, Knoxville, and is a graduate of Washington School for Secretaries, Washington, D. C.

Mrs. Green owns and conducts "The Ayre School of Business", located at 3006 $\frac{1}{2}$ Ocoee Street, of this city.

Mrs. Green, with her thorough knowledge, experience, and tact for teaching, gained marked success in her department the past six terms. Her class did splendid work, exceeding the average in this course.

Mrs. Green's work has been highly commendable and we bespeak for her another very successful term.

Miss Louise Martin, Cleveland, Tenn., will teach piano in Bible School this term.

Miss Martin studied piano under Miss Alice Wood, Centenary College, and has been a student for some time under the direction of Professor Roy Lamont Smith, Cadek Conservatory, Chattanooga, Tenn. Miss Martin is an exceptionally good teacher and has had a number of years' experience teaching. She did some splendid work last term and we bespeak for her another successful term.

Miss Vina Siler, Gray, Ky., will teach in the High School Department in B. T. S. this term.

Miss Vina Siler received her Bachelor of Arts degree from the Eastern State Teachers College, Richmond, Ky. and has been teaching for eleven years in that state.

Sister Siler comes to us well recommended for her teaching. She is resigning her work there where she has been employed for a number of

years, to join us in Bible School in October. Sister Siler has the baptism of the Holy Ghost and is a member of the Church of God, and is highly recommended by her pastor and the district overseer. We appreciate having had Sister Siler as a member of the faculty this last term, where she did some splendid work. She soon found her work more interesting and she says she enjoys the work here many times better than any of her past experience teaching in the public schools. We wish for her another successful term in B. T. S. this year.

Professor R. R. Walker, Morgantown, Miss., will be principal of the department of High School in B. T. S. again this next term.

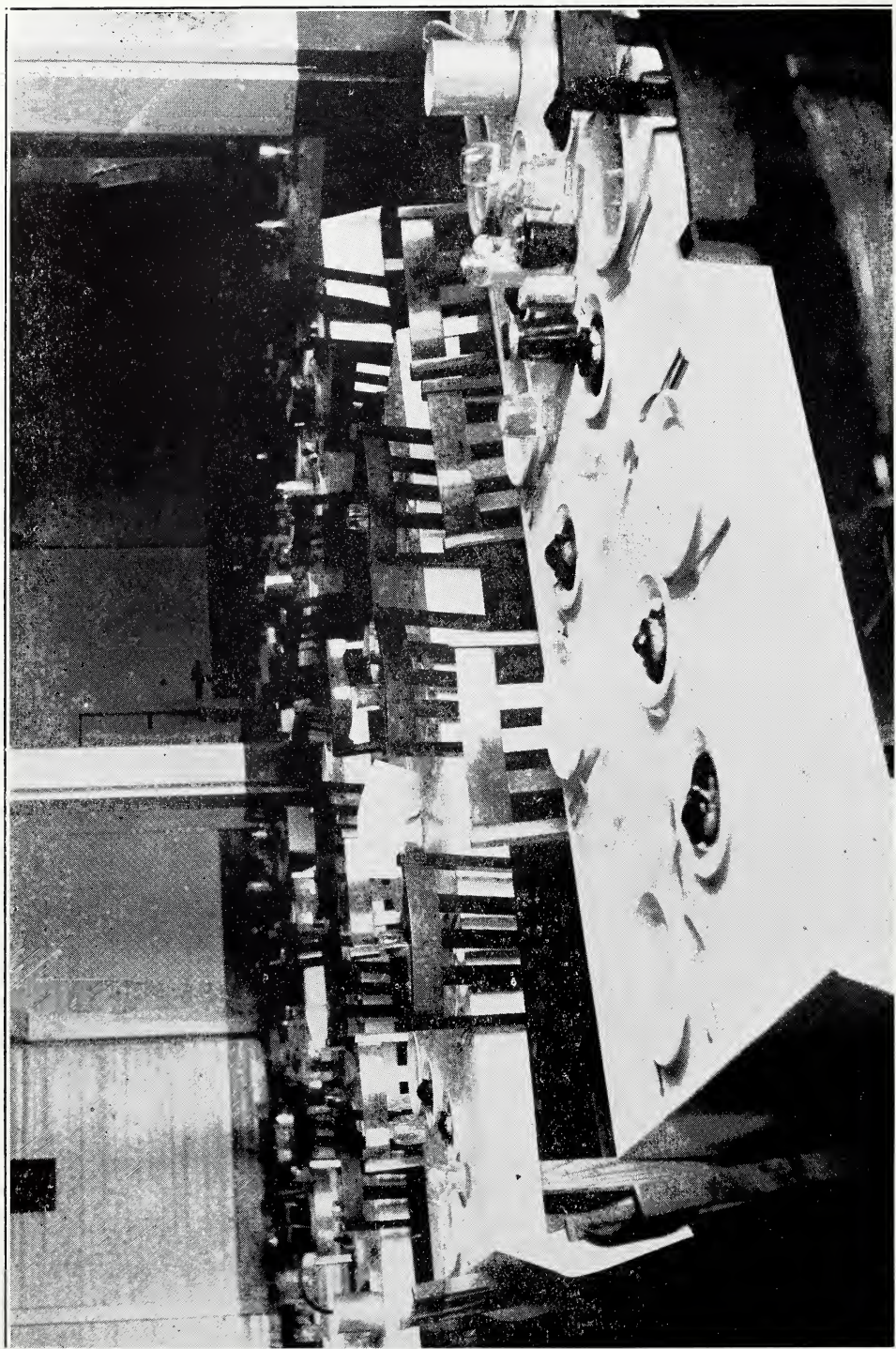
Prof. Walker received his Bachelor of Arts degree at the Mississippi College, Clinton, Miss., in 1927. He has also done postgraduate work at Mississippi College and State Teachers College, Hattiesburg, Miss.

He has had ten years' experience teaching in High Schools. For nine years he has been serving as principal of the following: Myric Consolidated High School, Jones County, Ruth Consolidated High School, Lincoln County, and West Pearl Special Consolidated High School, Morgantown, Miss.

Brother Walker comes to us well recommended for his efficiency in his school work, and highly commended for his noble Christian character. He studied for the ministry and had been an active minister with the Missionary Baptist for a number of years. He had a pastoral charge three years ago when he realized the Church of God people had an experience he needed so he went to the altar and prayed through and received the precious baptism of the Holy Ghost. He came into the Church of God and today is an ordained bishop. Our late Brother and Sister S. J. Heath, also Brother W. F. Sharp, a graduate of B. T. S., were instrumental in helping Brother Walker into this greater life.

We feel sure that you students will love and appreciate Brother Walker and will find him to be a real friend and the best High School teacher you have ever had, for he possesses such a kind, humble spirit.

We truly thank God for such a gracious man and capable instructor as Brother Walker. We are highly pleased with his marked success this last term as principal of our High School department. He won the hearts of his pupils and made many friends here in Cleveland. We bespeak for him another successful term this next year.



Portion of Students' Dining Hall

ARRANGEMENT OF COURSES OF STUDY

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No class will be organized if less than five register for the class except where it is the student's last year and the subject is required for graduation.

Description of the Course of Study

THE course of study is the result of the many years' experience of those in charge of the work and it is continually improved in the various departments as the management deems it profitable.

For this next term we have managed to make some additions and improvements in both the Bible and the Music Course that we know the students and all lovers of the school will greatly appreciate. We are constantly striving to make a good school better.

BIBLE

The Bible is our most appreciated text. While we consult other helps, yet the Bible is the end of all controversy. Since the Bible covers God's dealings with man and his specific needs during the various ages of the past and future, it is necessary to have a systematized study in order to get the best results of your efforts of comprehension. The study according to the dispensation is necessary to determine whether He was speaking to Jews, Gentiles, or the Church of God. Therefore time will be given to Dispensational Study.

This term the students will enjoy and appreciate the Comparative Study of the Four Gospels, embracing the special study of the great incidents in the life of Christ. Also the life and works of the Authors will be studied. During the recitation hour significant topics will be discussed in a constructive way by the class.

The study of the Records and Letters of the Apostolic Age, beginning with "Acts" through the epistles including "Revelation," will be an interesting and very profitable study. It embraces the instructive features of the Evangelical and Pastoral Epistles, together with many other subjects and themes which are incentives to a closer walk with the Lord during these last days.

Themes, topics, subject study and Bible questions will be discussed at various times for the purpose of reaching the best possible Biblical solution. This method has proven to be quite interesting and instructive.

DOCTRINE

The fundamental doctrine of the Bible and the teachings of the Church which are made prominent will be discussed in class. Each one is carefully analyzed and a constructive position made of it with reference to the scriptural authority therefor. All the students will enjoy and appreciate this study which is taught each year.

PROPHECY

This is a very inspiring subject. Since we are living in these last days when so many of the prophecies are being, and are yet to be, fulfilled, an intensive study is especially interesting and inspiring. A special study of Revelation, along with prophecies of Isaiah, Ezekiel, Daniel, interlinked with the Minor Prophets, is covered in this course.

HOMILETICS

The arrangement and manner of presentation of a message is of great importance. Many a good message has failed to reach its intended goal because of the inability of the preacher to put his thoughts into such a form

that the people could grasp his meaning. This study will prove a blessing to all such as are called on to make talks and especially is it helpful to the ministers.

CHURCH HISTORY

In the study of history we learn the unfoldings of the various forces which play such a great part in man's life. Church History is not a dead record of facts, but a living force, which will enlighten the student to the many snares and pitfalls Satan has used in the past to overthrow and hinder the progress of God's great work.

A good knowledge of Church History will help you to locate and to fortify yourself against the false teachings and erroneous doctrines, which have through the rapidly changing years, put on their various shades of covering for the purpose of deceiving the "flock of God." The sad feature of it is that the enemy has accomplished his purpose and is deceiving multitudes along the way. You will find Church History an interesting and most valuable study.

BIBLE ATLAS

Bible Atlas is designed to meet the great need of an intimate knowledge of the Geography, Topography, and History of the Bible lands. We feel that this is an essential study to a complete understanding of much of the Scriptural truth.

TEACHER TRAINING COURSE

This course is very interesting, and the most instructive of its kind to be found anywhere. It embraces somewhat a synthetic study of the Bible. It also includes a study of the Bible, Bible History, Bible Geography, Bible Institutions, Lessons of Child Study, and Teacher Training. All students are required to take this study.

MISSIONS AND MISSIONARIES

This study covers the history of Christian missions up to and including the present efforts made under the various boards and by independent missionaries on the world-wide field. Attention is also given to the Home Missions. God hasten the day when we Church of God people can know, feel, and do more about missions.

MUSIC

It is a well known and established fact that music has played a very prominent part in evangelism during the entire Church age. The management has made special efforts and has succeeded in the extension of the Musical Department in the B. T. S. for this term. However, we do not profess to offer all the advantages of a Musical Conservatory, yet it is the purpose of the management to provide such instruction as will enable the worker to sing, lead in singing, any congregational hymn, new or old, to do special quartet work, solo singing, song writing, and to train for singing school teaching, and class training.

This course will include studies as follows: THEORY, SIGHT SINGING and EAR TRAINING HARMONY, ADVANCED HARMONY. COUNTERPOINT, COMPOSITION, MUSIC APPRECIATION and HISTORY, and REPERTOIRE.

VOICE (voice building) can be secured in private lessons at a small fee each lesson. This work will be under the direction of Brothers McCoy

and W. W. Goins, and will prove a great benefit to the speaker or preacher as well as the singer.

We are arranging for group lessons in Voice Building again this term, which will be a great convenience to the students, who, like those heretofore, could not get their lessons because the program was filled. Through the group study many others will be able to receive helpful training, at a very small cost to each student.

INSTRUMENTAL INSTRUCTIONS on Piano, Banjo, Mandolin, Guitar, Saxophone, Trombone, Cornet, Piano-tuning and helpful instructions on many other instruments can be had at a very small additional cost.

We wish to call attention to the advantages of taking the Piano-tuning. Opportunities in this line of work are promising, for in almost every community there are more or less pianos to be tuned. In connection with your work this would be very helpful and profitable.

Inasmuch as the Bible Training School has no other regular source for finances than the tuition, we are forced to make a very small extra charge for the Piano-tuning in order to help to take care of the expenses. But this will be such a small amount compared to the valuable service you receive in return. (See "Business Regulations.")

This term we are offering piano lessons to beginners in group study at an exceptionally low rate. This will enable so many more to receive training while here that could not otherwise on account of the limited time of our Piano teacher and of the students' finance. **THIS IS YOUR OPPORTUNITY.** (See Business Regulations.)

All our musical instruction is to train one for services in Christian work. We believe that this is greatly needed in our churches. Good singers and musicians are welcomed everywhere.

ENGLISH

The student may just as well make up his mind first as last that the Bible cannot be properly studied, nor correctly interpreted and expounded without thorough work in English. Therefore, we have arranged for a three years' course in this study.

ENGLISH I is for those who have not had the equivalent of a Grammar School education in English. All who are found deficient in English will be required to take this work.

ENGLISH II is a more advanced study with practical application of its principles in correct speech, some punctuation, spelling, etc.

ENGLISH III is a still more advanced study consisting of Composition, Narration, Word Study, Rhetoric, Letter Writing, Business Letters, and Newspaper Work. This course will be assigned to the students at the discretion of the faculty.

ORTHOGRAPHY

This is a progressive course in correct spelling, furnishing a variety of exercises on various topics, indicating both accent and syllabication, classification of words, giving the primitive and derivatives, synonyms, antonyms, etc. The study of the diacritical markings is especially emphasized, thus enabling the student to correctly pronounce the hard names of the Bible where they are marked. This you will find a helpful study.

PARLIAMENTARY LAW

This course is designed to meet the needs of such as desire special training enabling them to conduct in an orderly manner business meetings of various kinds. This study is of special interest to our ministers and Young People's Endeavors. Would you be embarrassed if called on to serve as moderator of a business meeting? This will also give you training in impromptu or extemporaneous speaking and debating.

PENMANSHIP

This is an art that will never die in even this busy world. In your absence your writing represents you. There will be many days and times in which the machine will neither be handy, nor permissible for writing, then you will wish for a graceful, legible hand. You are well paid for the time spent in the training.

High School Courses

FOR some time our hearts have been heavy and almost made to bleed as we see the appalling condition of the High Schools throughout the country as they grow more godless every day. So many of our good conscientious Holy Ghost filled girls and boys have been swept off their feet by the undercurrent of this terrible soul-damning teaching of evolution. The condition now is indeed enough to put every true mother and father in open rebellion against this faith-destroying evil.

Many parents are afraid to send their children to the High School right at their own doors because they would not have their children's faith in Jesus Christ and His power to save destroyed for anything in the world. Can you blame them?

Then just think, can you afford to deprive your child of a High School education when they can hardly make their way in such an advanced, educated world among whom they will be forced to live should the Lord tarry? The proof I would offer that you need a High School education is that this nation of ours sees the great need and has the country just dotted everywhere with them and within a short time the percentage of High School graduates will be exceptionally high, and there will scarcely be a place or position for those who have not at least a High School education.

Practically all of us must earn our own living and work hard all of our lives to do it. Most of us accept this fact cheerfully, indeed many are so eager to get started that they quit school as soon as the law permits, grab the first job offered them, and begin the long discouraging grind of the untrained worker.

But five years later they see things from a very different angle, they are earning only a little more than they got when they started. Learning on the job is slow, hard work; and although their five years' experience has given them manual skill they have already reached the limit of their earning power.

They may change their jobs from time to time but they can't earn any more because they are not trained for anything better.

This is the experience of the great majority of young people who do not finish High School. They can't go any further—earn any more—until they have made up the High School training they lacked.

While we have mentioned what we think would be reason from the business standpoint, we feel that it is equally important that our ministers should have this thorough training which will enable them to present the truths of the Bible in a clearer, more concise manner.

Even though you do not intend to enter college and do advanced work, the High School course will prepare you to enter directly upon the duties of adult life and help you to be far more useful and effective in service for the Master.

Possibly you have not been able to finish your High School education and you now see the great need of it and have wondered if it would ever be possible for you to get this so much needed schooling. Yes, it is possible!

The management has for some time considered extending Bible School curriculum so as to meet the great need of a complete High School course taught where God is given preference and His Holy Spirit has right-of-way.

At last we feel the necessary arrangements have been made and we are offering the complete High School Course which will enable many to continue their studies whereas if only through the various High Schools where so much valuable time is taken up with non-essentials and various societies and frivolities they were forced to receive their training, they would never get it.

You know you would feel embarrassed possibly to go back to High School but now come to Bible School where you can study the Bible along with your course.

When you get your High School education from our course in Bible Training School you are using exactly the same books that are used in Tennessee State Approved High Schools.

COMMERCIAL COURSE

It is our purpose to equip the student so that he will be able to take advantage of the opportunities which the field of business offers. The 20th Century Bookkeeping and Accounting (revised) text is the one used. It is the adopted text of College and Business Schools everywhere. The text is brief, giving clear discussions of bookkeeping methods and principles with accurate illustrations showing the application of the discussions. It has short exercises which enables the student to apply the principles and methods to business problems. The Course offers Practice Sets Nos. 1, 2, 3 and 4, carrying you through the safest steps of modern bookkeeping and accounting.

The Shorthand Course consists of the Gregg system, using Gregg Shorthand and Speed Studies as texts. It is easy to learn, easy to read, and easy to write. It has won the world championship six times. It is the system used in the numerous colleges and secretarial schools, in fact, 97 per cent of public schools teaching Shorthand use the Gregg system. Gregg shorthand is the standard system of America.

The New Rational Typewriting Course by Rupert P. Sorelle, published by Gregg is the one used in the Commercial Course.

Business English is greatly needed in connection with this course together with Commercial Arithmetic to better enable the student to take care of business with more speed and accuracy.

The Commercial Course is under the competent direction of Mrs. Hershell A. Green. Her thorough knowledge, experience, and tact for teaching will aid you greatly in mastering this course.

For the price of additional fee for this course, see Business Regulations.

Elsewhere you will pay three or four times the price for the splendid course we are able to offer you here, at such remarkably low figures.

MUSIC NORMAL

Our Music Normal will be under the able direction of Brothers Otis McCoy and W. W. Goins with their assistants again this term. We feel that our normal for the last four terms was a real success and that we must continue this good work.

The Normal Course is designed to meet the need of those who desire musical training in the shortest time possible consistent to the high standard and economical price especially offered in Bible School. It is intended principally for students doing advanced work but is arranged to include the elementary studies so that those with no previous music study can be greatly benefited by this six weeks' study.

A special feature this time during the Normal is that Saturday mornings will be devoted to a general review by all the music classes.

The various questions and knotty problems confronting the music teachers while on the field and many questions arising in class will be discussed for the purpose of helping the teachers and the students to reach the most practical solution of their problems.

We assure you that this will be one of our most helpful classes and we believe that it will be greatly appreciated by all.

The course will include studies as follows: Theory, Sight Singing, Ear Training, Advanced Sight Singing, Harmony, Advanced Harmony, Counterpoint, and Composition.

Voice—(voice building) can be secured in private lessons at a small fee each lesson.

Instrumental instruction on Piano, Violin, Banjo, Mandolin, Guitar, Saxophone, Trombone, Cornet, also helpful instruction on many other instruments can be had the same as offered to our regular students. (See Business Regulations.)

DIPLOMA

The Diploma given by this school is a statement signed by the officers of the school stating that the holder has completed the course prescribed by the school and has passed a satisfactory examination entitling him to said diploma.

No diploma will be awarded those whose deportment is not above reproach and whose doctrine is unsound as decided by the faculty.

Certificates will be given in Commercial and Musical Courses. The certificate given by this school is a statement signed by the one in charge of the department (either Commercial or Musical), and the Superintendent, stating that the holder has completed the course prescribed by the school and has passed a satisfactory examination entitling him to said certificate.

CONCERNING RULES GOVERNING THE SCHOOL

Discipline is always necessary in institutional life, and that development which comes to the student as a result of yielding to necessary restrictions is a valuable part of his training. Every student in the Church of God Bible Training School is given as much liberty and personal freedom as is consistent with the proper management of any institution of this character. We are certain that no student will find these rules oppressive. One of the conditions imposed upon all students entering the school is, however, that they be willing to submit to discipline, and it is expected that they will cheerfully comply with all necessary regulations. While the students are under our care and supervision, and we knowing they are spending their valuable time and money every day, we feel that they should improve every moment of time, and thus we feel under obligations to keep them at the work for which they are in school, and yet allowing them time for all necessary physical exercise, recreation and sociability.

All students entering this school automatically accept all rules and regulations either oral or written, and will be required to obey same during their stay as students.

No student will be permitted to leave (quit) school for any reason whatsoever, without permission from the Superintendent.

If for any reason one should desire to move his boarding place such a matter should be reported to the management, who will at a convenient time look into the matter, always looking to the best interest of all concerned.

All students will be expected to attend Church and Sunday School regularly and no one will be permitted to be absent without permission.

We will not attempt to give them all here, but all duly announced regulations, wherever made, are as binding as if printed in the catalogue.

Are you a worker for the Lord? Do you feel the call to the ministry? If so, are you prepared to meet the opposition that is coming against the full Gospel as preached by the Church of God?

If you are not prepared, the opportunity is before you to equip yourself better for the battles of life by taking the courses in this school.

We are living in an "Age of Education." The world is demanding the services of those who KNOW. Really would you not like to KNOW the Word of the Lord and be able to reach the numbers who are still out in the dark night of sin? Then,

WHAT ARE YOU GOING TO DO ABOUT IT?

The road to "tomorrow" is a road to failure. The thing that keeps you from deciding today will be greater even tomorrow, then, today is the day to act—NOW, not tomorrow. TODAY—opportunity is calling you to act and to do.

CHURCH OF GOD YOUNG PEOPLE'S ENDEAVOR OF B. T. S.

Believing that the progress of religion depends largely upon the training of the youth in matters pertaining to character and active Christian work, we have given time and assistance to the C. of G. B. T. S. Y. P. E. to encourage the religious life of the students, and train them for active service.

Very commendable work has been done by the Endeavor. Each year through their efforts they have raised money for many helpful school interests.

Almost every student was a member and a booster of the organization for the training is such as all our young people so much need.

BUSINESS REGULATIONS

Entrance Fee and Registration	\$ 3.00
Tuition for six months	36.00
Library Fee	1.00
Board and room \$15.50 each month or for six months	93.00
TOTAL	133.00
If paid in advance will be only	119.70
Monthly payments in advance, 1st month	25.50
Each succeeding month thereafter	21.50
For use of electric washer and iron a small charge of 25c a month, \$1.50 for the term, cash	1.25

MUSIC NORMAL

Tuition and Board for six weeks	\$33.25
Tuition only for the Normal	10.00
Board and Tuition paid in advance only	30.00
Evening students, \$1 each week or for six weeks	5.00

COMMERCIAL DEPARTMENT

Tuition (for full business course)	\$48.00
If paid in advance only	40.00
If paid each three months, cash in advance	20.00
Monthly payments due in advance	8.00

PRIVATE LESSONS

Voice Culture, each lesson	\$1.00
Twenty lessons, if paid for in advance only	15.00
Voice lessons in class group, 25c each or 20 for	4.00
Piano lessons50
Guitar, mandolin, cornet, trombone, etc., each lesson50
Piano tuning (for the course) only	25.00
Piano practice, five periods a week, \$1.00 per month	6.00
If paid in advance only	5.00

Every student will be expected to donate to the school two hours' work each week

N. B. All money paid for private lessons missed on account of sickness will be refunded.

FREE SCHOLARSHIP OFFERED in Commercial Department by Mrs. (Ayre) Green to the student who secures the greatest number of students in any department for the 1936-1937 term.

Advanced money will be refunded to students who are providentially hindered in continuing their studies.

Every one must pay cash for his books and supplies. All students must pay for their personal expenses, such as board, tuition, room rent, music fee, etc. This is due in advance. You may pay by the month, three months, or six months. The discount for cash in advance for the entire term is a special and we do hope you can take advantage of this offer.

All students will be expected to board at the school dormitories, where room, lights, fuel, beds, springs, and comforts are free, but those who room there and share these benefits will be expected to bring items listed below:

STUDENT'S OUTFIT— 1 pair blankets, 1 pillow and two pillow cases, face and bath towels, two sheets for double bed, one laundry bag (made of some dark washable material).

Electric washers are furnished by the school, and each student will take care of his laundry.

All donations by money and supplies will be credited and will reduce the expenses in proportion to its value.

Make all checks and money orders payable to the Bible Training School.

Any student desiring to board outside of dormitory must make special arrangements through the management and by consent of his or her parents.



The Home Study Course

This course is intended for those seeking deeper knowledge of the Word, and to meet the demands of persons who have neither time nor leisure for more extensive study of the Bible. It covers the entire Bible in a comprehensive way and proceeds on the synthetic plan. The lessons are not long, and the course can readily be completed in eight (8) months.

The course requires little intensive study, but considerable consecrative reading of the Bible for the purpose of familiarizing the student with its general outline.

The salient features of all the books of the Bible are brought out in a remarkable way by the author. The whole arrangement is so simple and yet comprehensive that with a comparatively small amount of study the leading outlines and spiritual lessons of books, or groups of books of the Bible, may be mastered, giving the student not only a fresh appetite, but also preparing him for more advanced study.

Here are the Subjects of Divisions in the Course:

Bible History
Bible Geography
Bible Survey

STUDIES BY BOOKS

Old Testament Outline Studies by Books
Poetical Books
Notable Characters of the Old Testament
The Prophets and Their Messages
Ancient History
The Life of Christ
The Acts of the Apostles
The Pauline Epistles
The General Epistles
The Lives of the Apostles

The Lives of New Testament Men and Women
The Revelation
Studies of Bible Truth—such as:
Sin, Atonement, Redemption, The Divinity
Sunday School Organization and Sunday School Teaching
Successful Christian Work in Foreign Fields
Successful Christian Work at Home, including Sermon Making and Public Speaking
Church History and Heathen Religions
Theology
Prophecy

OUTLINE STUDIES: A comprehensive study of the books of the Old Testament and the New Testament in which the peculiar message of each of the inspired writers is emphasized, the historical setting and the structure of each book is shown, and the unity of the whole Word is unfolded.

PROPHECY: A thorough study of the underlying principals of Prophecy and the revelations of the future that are contained in the different books of the Bible. This is a very inspiring subject. Since we are living in these last days when so many of the prophecies are being, and are yet to be fulfilled, an intensive study is especially interesting and inspiring.

Enrollment 1935-36

FRESHMEN

Angley, Letha	Hutchinson, Marion
Atkins, Max	Joiner, Cora Bell
Atkinson, Margarette	Johnson, Dan
Baldree, Ruth	Johnson, Robert
Bennett, Viola	Letherberry, William
Berg, Elanda	Lewis, Jack
Brown, Alburn	Maxwell, Raymond
Burris, Estel	Nelson, Mildred
Campbell, Franklin	Peirson, T. G.
Clower, R. H.	Phillips, Stella
Cross, Dewey	Poteat, Paul
Dearman, A. J.	Puckett, Bettie
Dekle, Frances	Puckett, Gleason
Dennis, Brady	Rozell, Lavern
Dodson, Beatrice	Satterfield, Flora
Ellis, Vespew	Sebens, Laverne
Everly, Harvey	Sells, Paul
Farmer, Thelma	Sherrill, Earl
Gardner, Clyde H.	Smith, Wilmon
Garrahan, Laura	Stallings, Paul
Godwin, Delwood	Stout, Geraldine
Golden, Esie Mae	Swiley, Rosco
Golden, Marvin	Tharp, Jewel
Gunnell, Edith	Tucker, Genus
Harris, Edward C.	Tucker, Mae
Harrison, Hazel	Upton, Dorothy
Hinkle, Floyd	Weaver, Pauline
Henning, James	White, C. W.
Hilman, Norman	Whittington, Ruth
Hodges, Henry	Williams, Malcolm

JUNIORS

Anderson, Otha	Jenkerson, C. M.
Anderson, Alma	Jennings, Elmo
Anderson, J. T.	McCoy, Tula
Blankenship, Geo.	McClendon, J. C.
Burton, William	Morris, Robert
Cooper, Clyde	Nelson, Victor
Cox, Carl	Perdue, Dorothy
Cutts, Harry	Powell, Evelyn
Franklin, T. C.	Prevo, Geneva
Hatcher, Harry	Rozell, Vernon
Hatfield, D. B.	Wallace, Ruth
Henson, E. A.	Wiggins, Vernice

INSTRUMENTAL MUSIC STUDENTS

Nelson, Mildred	Berg, Elanda
Moore, Pauline	Reid, Erma

Cox, Leota
 Dunn, Vivian
 Wiggins, Vernice
 Weaver, Pauline
 Deaver, Billie
 Lewis, Madelyn
 Rozell, Lavern
 Upton, Dorothy
 Phillips, Stella
 Williams, Ralph
 Roberts, Tina
 Hatcher, Harry
 Stout, Geraldine
 Goins, Marion
 Sells, Paul

Givens, Flounoy
 McCoy, Joe
 McClendon, J. C.
 Popejoy, Scott
 Williams, Malcolm
 King, Theodore
 Wolfe, J. E.
 Brown, Alburn
 Dennis, Brady
 Hatfield, D. B.
 Burton, William
 Dearman, A. J.
 Puckett, Gleason
 Hennings, James

SENIORS

Brown, El'en
 Byrd, Woodrow
 Case, Hoyle
 Childers, Albert
 Dixon, Juanita
 Dunn, Dorothy
 Givens, Flounoy
 Lingerfelt, Chester
 McCoy, Lowell
 Morgan, W. W.

Perkins, Addie Mae
 Perkins, Vance
 Poteat, George
 Reid, Erma
 Roberts, Tina
 Scogin, Evelyn
 Sears, Verle
 Vail, Hilton
 Welch, Willie
 Williams, Ralph

GRADUATES 1935-1936

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 Williams, Ralph
 Morse, Raymond
 Stallings, Paul
 Davenport, Pauline

POSTGRADUATES

Tioaquen, Aurelio

Prevo, Geneva

HIGH SCHOOL

Caraway, Clyde
 Carroll, Willie Mae
 Johnson, W. B.
 Jordon, Chandler
 Lewis, Faye
 Lewis, Madelyn

Million, Itzell
 Milligan, J. T.
 Popejoy, Scott
 Sparks, William
 Waters, Charles

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Stallings, Paul

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Ball, Lee

Blackwood, Doyle

Bowes, Amelia

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Dunn, Reloin

Dunn, Wroten

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